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Re: Title: COMBINATORIAL DECODING OF RANDOM NUCLEIC ACID  
ARRAYS  
U.S. Letters Patent No. 7,166,431 B2  
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Our Reference: ILLINC.043DV1

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing is a Certificate of Correction in connection with the above-identified patent.

As the errors cited in the Certificate of Correction were incurred through the fault of the Patent Office, no fee is believed to be required. However, please charge our Deposit Account No. 11-1410 for any fees that may be incurred with this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Page 2, column 2, line 16, which reads, "Monitoring," should read - - Monitoring, - -

Column 12, line 46-52, after "surface.", delete "Preferred attachments..... bioactive agent.", and insert the same on line 47 as new paragraph

Column 16, line 51, which reads, "type probe", should read - - type of probe - -

Column 16, line 57, which reads, "length," should read - - length. - -

Column 20, line 57-58, which reads, "an 7", should read - and less than about  $10^{-7}$  - -

Column 31-32, line 66-67 and 1-2, after "suspects.", delete "In an additional..... by reference.", and insert the same on line 67 as new paragraph

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